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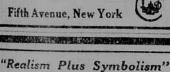
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# The Philippines

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of the technique practiced by the witch the island again and persuades Somna this detective story by Eric Levidoctors, who play a most important to become united with him. But his part in the life of these primitive period of happiness is brief. He bearound the interesting Doctor Lester tribesmen. These witch doctors act as priests, judges, physicians and coun- his life, carry him away from the islselors of state. The author is inclined to and by force. When he comes back credit them with some genuine knowl- there is no trace of Somna. And then, edge of the medicinal properties of deprived of the one thing in life which Afzican herbs. Of course, their chief he had really prized, he renounces the stock in trade is a hocus poeus of service of God and resigns himself to Avery does not approve, and an intense enmity has sprung up between her husenmity has sprung up between her husoverawe the ignorant people.

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but chiefly to prevent Wild Rose from being dragged into the case, proceeds to work on the mystery. Suspicion Ifalls on first one and then another of several characters. Kirky finally revidual-Mr. X he is called-and even

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